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MOUND CITY COUNCIL, NO, 154, NATIONAL,
Union, meets on second and fourth Friday each
merth at Howard's Hall, corner Garrison aveme and Olive street, at 8 o'clock, Next regular meeting, November 23. Lock out for the new
list of prizes offered this year for greatest increase of membership.

INO, S. KIMEROUGH, President,
Attest: Richard E. Berger, Secretary.

STANDARD COUNCIL, NO, 259, NATIONAL,
Union, meets first and third Moodays of every
menth at Lucken's Hall, southcast corner Arsenil and lowa avenue.

Jac. Emiling, Jr., Secretary.

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VALLEY FORGE COUNCIL, NO. St. NA-tional Union-Meets second and fourth Tuendays at 8 ts. ch., Hall No. 9, Fraternal building, Elev-erth and Franklin avenue, Members are earn-eatly requested to attend and visitors fraternally invited. JOHNE MOELLER, President, Hugh Noble, Secretary.

KNIGHTS OF FATHER MATHEW. SUPREME COUNCIL, KNIGHTS OF Father Mathew, Office 1801 Locust Street—Executive Board meets first and third Fridays, 8 p. m.

DANIEL O'C. TRACY, Supreme Chief Sir Knight, Thos. S. Bowdern, Supreme Recorder,

ROYAL LEAGUE. GREELEY COUNCIL, NO. 111.

Royal League, meets second and fourth Wednesdays of each month at hall, \$60 Burlington building, \$10 Olive street, Next meeting, Novem-KARL F. SCHOENFELD, Archon.

C. K. OF A. ST. AGATHA BRAN'H, NO. 497, C. K. of A.-deets every account and fourth Wednesday of th mouth, 935 Utah street.

MISCELLANEOUS. FRATERNITY supplies for all societies; flags and banners. Parson & Co., 1010 Pine st. LIMERTY COUNCIL, NO. 2, JR. O. U. A. M., meets every Thursday evening at Garfield Hall, Thirteenth and Wright, Visitors, welcome, E. H. OTTMER, councilor, 1918 Salityan ave. Attest: I. C. Rimmey, Recording Secretary, 191 Cassave.



THE BLUE AND THE GRAY meet at the rooms of the Missouri Historical Society, 1640 Locust street, upon call of the commandant.

(OSAP'H BOYCE, Captain, E. C. Robbinz, First Sergeant.

MISSOURI HISTORICAL SOCI-ety, 169) Locust Street-Regular monthly meetings held on the second Thursday of each month at 3 p. m., from November till April, Inclusive, The building is open daily from 3 a. m. till a p. m. Sunday afternoons from 2 lill 5. The public are cordially invited to visit the library and museum. JOHN H. TERRY, President,

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

ACME LODGE, NO. 219, K. OF P., meets every Tuesday evening at 8 o'clock pharp. Burlington building, 519 Olive street. Work in ranks always on hand. Visitors ordinally invited and members expected to attend. JOHN W SHEVLIN, C. C. Attest: William H. Melton, K. of R. & S.

P. meets every Wednesday evening at a cicleck at Livitstone's Hall, Eleverth and Franklin avenue. All members requested and visiting knights cordially invited to attend.

WM. E. BARCLAY, C. C.

Attest: Jas. J. Moore, K. of R. & S. CASTLE HALL MONITOR LOUGE,
No. 88, K. of P. meets every Thursday
evening in Century building, Ninth and
Olive atreets, Hall No. 1, tenth floor
special notice-All members are requested to be
present Thursday, Nevenne, 22, as the officers
for next term with be boundated. Also rank
work. Usitors always recome.
W. J. Otto, K. of R. & S.

CASTLE HALL, ROBERT E. COWAN,
No. 131, K. of P.—West hall, Century
building, Ninth and Olice streets, of
Monday, November 19, at 8 p. m. charp
Rushness meeting and nonination of officers for
the ensuing term. Visiting Koights cordially
invited.

Attest: Harry Roberts, K. of R. 4 S.

CASTLE HALL, MISSOURI LODGE,
No. 2, K. of P., Elke Hall, Holland
building Convention every Friday evengues welcome,
GUS J. PETERS, C. C.
Charles C. Fink, K. of R. S. CHEVALIER LODGE, NO. 79, K. OF
P. Regular meeting will be held on
Wednesday evening, November 21, 190, at
Odd Fellows' building, eighth floor, room
nelly invited.

Affect: Louis W. Sorgenfret, K. of R. & S. Address: 2003 Arsenst pireet. COLUMBIA LODGE, NO. 226, K. OF
P. meets every Theeday evening at 8
o'clese. Castle Hall, Century building,
tenth floor, Hall No. 1. Ninth and Ollice
streets, Tursday evening, October 30, Work in
rank of Knight. Members requested to attend.
Visitors welcome. JOHN H. SCHULZE, C. C.
J. F. Dempsey, K. of R. & S.

CONFIDENCE LODGE. NO. 121. K. OF
P. meets every Thurses evening at
Lafayette Hall. Seven enth and Cass
avenue Members expected to attend and
visitors cordially invited.

JOHN M. HUDSON, C. C.
William Faber, K. of R. & S. DAMON LOUGE, NO. 23, K. OF P., meets every Wednesday evening at Fraterior Hall. Eleventh and Franklin avenue, Hall No. 1, Work in rank of Knicht, November 21. Election of officers for ensuing term, November 23, Members are requested to be present and visiting knights confliaity invited.

FRED TOENGER, C. C. Altest: H. R. Bermel, K. of R. & S., 2553A

FUTURE GREAT LODGE, NO. 2:6 K. of P. meets every Wednesday evening at Haward's Hall. Thirtieth and Olive streets. Next Wednesday evening. No enther II, work in the rank of Esquire. Visitors always welcome. ROBERT T. ERITSCHLE, C. C. W. A. Roberts, K. of R. & S. GOLDEN GOLDEN CROWN LODGE, NO. 62, meets every Friday evening. Hall No. 2, tenth floor, Century building, Ninth and Olive streets, Work in rank of Page at pest convention, Friday, November 22, All members expected, Visitors cardially invited.

Henry C. Scott, K. of R. & S.

HOPE LODGE, NO. 186 K. OF P...
meets every Thursday evening at \$ p. m.,
northwest corner Ninth and Lami
streets, Visitors always welcome.
DOCTOR E. H. FREHLINGSDORF, C. C.
Ed C. Braun, K. of R. & S. LAFAYITTE IGNGE, NO 12, K. OF

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Attest: Fred Horn, K. of R & S.

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MONROF LODGE, NO. 341, K. OF P. meets every Friday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Schlappriari Hall, southeast correct Keekuk and Broadway. Work in raths always on hand. Visitors cordially invited and members expected to attend.

CHAS. C. LADENBERGER. C. C. Attest John P. Thul, K. R. & S., 3832 South Broadway.

PACIFIC LODGE, NO. 204, K. OF P., meets every Wednesday evening in Contury building, Ninth and Olive streets, Work in the rank of Page Wednesday evening, November 14. Members expected and visitors cordially invited.

F. W. FOLK, C. C. I. W. Campbell, K. of R. & S. PARAGON LODGE, NO. 18, K. OF P., meets every Tuesday evening, Hall No. 2, Old Fellows building, Ninth and Glive streets. Next Tuesday; rank of Enight. Members and visitors cordinally invited.

G. M. RUTHERFORD, C. C. Attest; Frank Johnson, K. of R. & S.

PREMIER LODGE, NO. 249, K. OF P.

Next regular meeting. Thursday evening, November 22, at Hall No. 1, Old Fellows' building. Work in rank of Knight.

Members and victors requested to attend. Members and visitors requested to attend.

GEO, E. STUCKEY, C. C.

J. F. Witte, K. of R. & S. VILLAGORAS LODGE NO 25 K U

P. meets every Wednesday evening at northwest corner of Grand and Easten avenues at So'clock. Work in rank of t. All members expected. Visiting knights welcome.

H. ETTINGER, C. C. at: Edw. Ettinger, K. of R. & S., 333 Eas-RED CROSS LODGE, NO. 54 K. OF P., meets every Wednesday at Odd Fel. lower Hall, Ninth and Olive streets, Next Wednesday, regular session. Work is amplified rank of Knight. Refreshments and entertainments. All knights are invited.

All red Boyle, K. of R. & S.

WABASH LODGE, NO. 26, K. OF. P., will have work in the rank of Knight on Tuesday, November 29, at hall, at Broadway and Benton, Visitors are wel-

WALNUT LODGE, NO. 288, K. OF P., meets every Thersday evening at 8 o'clock shart At Druide' Hall, southeast in rank of Esquire and election of officers, Nowthers 22, Visitors cordially invited, and members expected.

WILLIAM WASSMAN, C. C. WILLIAM WASSMAN, C. C. W. J. H. Perkins, K. of R. & S. WASHINGTON LODGE, NO. 183, K. 98
P., meets every Friday evening, west dail,
Masonic Temple, Seventh and Marxet
streets, Work in the rank of Knight Friday avening, November 22, 1905, Members are requested to be present. Visiting brothers aiways
welcome. GRANT LUCE, C. C. J. P. Dummich, K. of R. & S., 3104 Clark ave. ZULEMA LODGE, NO. 321, K. of P.-MEETS every Monday evening at \$ p. m., Burlington building, Eighth floor, Rank work every meeting.

F. J. VollAMER, C. C. Attest H. J. Conway, K. of R. & S.

ROYAL ARCANUM.

GRAND COUNCIL MISSOURI
Royal Arcanum, 209-311 Holland
building. A cordial welcome to visilors, friends, brethen and members
from abroad. L. J. MEISER, G. R.
Chas. H. Cox. Grand Secretary. CHEVALIER COUNCIL NO 1889

Royal Arcanium, meets first and third fridays of each mouth at Howard's Hall, Garrison avenue and Olive street. Clicked welcomed and pleasantly entered.

M. HANAWAY, Regent. Burt Elder, Secretary.

COTH BRILLIANTE COUNCIL, NO.
1209. Royal Arcanum, meets first and
third Thursdays of each mounts in O'Comnell's Hall, Marcus and Easton avenues.
Visitors cordinity welcome. Next meeting Thursday, December 6, at 8 p. m. Election of officers,
Grand officers' visit.

P. H. BAKEE, Regent. F. W. Reader, Secretary.

DELMAR COUNCIL, NO. \$34, ROYAL Arcanum, meets regularly on the second and fourth Mondays of each month at West End Hail, Finney and Vandeventer avenues. Visitors cordinally well-smed and pleasantly entertained. J. H. BRACKEN, Regent. W. E. Newman, Secretary. EUCLID COUNCIL, NO. 711, MEETS FIRST and third Frenks in each month in Burlington building, 310 Olive street. Visiting burehren and all Arcanumites cordially invited to attend our meetings.

Attest: J. F. Ryan, Secretary.

LACLEDE COUNCIL, NO 685, ROYAL Areanum, meets the first and third Mondays of each month at aloward's Hall, Garrison axe, and Olive at Memoers ed and victors condaily invited to attend. A choice programme at every meeting.

GEO. F. DIMITRY, Regent.

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OLAVETTE Council, No. 725, Royal
Arcanum, meets every first and third
Mondays of each month at Burlington
building, No. 810 Olive street. A condial welcome is extended to all visiting and local members of the order,
W. H. Rolf, Secretary.

W. H. Rolf, Secretary. ORDER OF COLUMBIAN KNIGHTS. EXPRESS LODGE, NO. 3, ORDER of Columbian Knights, meets every second and fourth Thurslays at Oriental Hall, Jefferson avenue and Adams street, Visiting brethren and all Columbias Knights fraternally invited to attend our meeting, Initiation, EDWARD DEADRICH, President.

NORTH END LODGE, NO. 100, ORDER OF Columbian Knights, mets every second and fourth Wednesday at Rahning's Hay. Twentieth and Wright streets, Visiting knights fracernally invited, Indianon at our next meeting, November 23, 1949.

H. W. Wiednesday, November 23, 1949.

H. W. Wiednesday, Pres. T. S. Brennan, Sec., 2520 N. Twenty-first st.

FRATERNAL ORDER OF EAGLES.

ST. LOUIS AERIE, NO. 41, F. O. E., meets every Thursday, 8 p. m. at Eagles' Hail, Sixth and Wainut streets, Visiting members heartily welcome.

II. W. McChesney, W. S.

SECRET SOCIETIES.

ANCIENT FREE AND

CGRNER STONE LODGE No. 221 A. F. & A. M. Special meeting Monday. November 19, 199., at 6 p. m. G. according to the Massonic Termile, Grand and Fifther mi.; work M. M. degree. Regular meeting 12m. comed. H. H. L. ERMATINGER, W. M. W. Smith, Secretary.

MISSOURI LOGGE, NO. 1, A. F. & A.
M. Statel communication in Conjusting
Hall, Grand Avenue Macanic Lemote,
Election of officers and other important business.

BARONS OF RUNNYMEDE.

ST. LOUIS LOCAL COUNCIL, NO.

1. Ancient order Earons of Ruraymedic will food a regular meeting at
8 o'clock Thursday seeining, Novention I., 1989, at their food, No. 1
Odd Fellows Building, southered to resir knight are fracturally laysted.

Attest: J. A. Pall, Baron of Periods.

60 Fullerton building.

ANCHOR Lodge, No. 32, I. O. O. F. mosts ever Monday evening at Resentach's field, northeast corner of Clinton street and Broadway. Vidtors always welcome. F. A. LAKE, N. G. W. M. Chrit, Secretary.

HENTON LOGICE, NO. 215, L. Q. Q. P. marts every Thursday at logic ball, No. 215 Are full a rice. Veiling are cord ally invited and are always JACOB BECHTOLD, N. G. C. C. Goedde, Secretary.

MOUND CITY ENCAMPMENT, NO.
19, I. O. G. F. meets every second and fourth Thursday at Hall No. I. Fraternal building, parthwest connection and Frankim avenue. Work in the degrees. United Parakim avenue. grees. Vigitors fraternally invited.

J. R. LACY, C. P.

Chas, A. Linck, Scribe.

SUMMIT Lodge, No. 277, L. O. O. P., meets every Thursday night at 2500 Manchesser avenue, Monbers urged to attend, Visitors always welcome, Work every evening.

C. L. Paul, Secretary. WILDEY ENCAMPMENT, NO. 1, L. O. O. F., meets in Hall No. 1, old Fellows' building, second and fourth Monday evenings at 8 o'cloud. November 12, installation of officers and work in the Golden Rine degree. Members urged to attend. Visiter coordistly invited. LOUIS J. SICKE, C. P. Ambrose Lynn, Seribe.

GARFIELD COUNCIL, NO. 4, UNIVERSAL Friends of America, meets that and Third Theaday evenings of each month at Tenth and Carroll sts. Members "spected to attend and friends cordially invited.

DR. CHAS. B. De GROAT, Chief Counselor.

W. H. Johannes, Secretary. GEORGE WASHINGTON COUNCIL, NO. 1, Universal Friends of America, meets second and fourth Tuesday evenlings of each month at Jefferson ave, and Carr st. Members expected to attend and visitors condaily invited.

JOS A. McMILLAN, Chief Counselor,
A. Diederich, Secretary.

Friends of America, meets first and third Wednesday eventimes of each mooth at Fourteenth and Benton sts. Members expected to attend and visitors cordially invited. MARTIN LEONHARDT, Chief Counselor, Ed Knueppe, Secretary. LINCOLN COUNCIL, NO. 2. UNIVERSAL Friends of America, meets second and fourth Friday evenings of each month at Fifteenin st. and Cass are. Members expected to arrend and visitors cordinity invited. MRS, AUGUSTA BISCHOFF, Chief Counselor, John H. Michelmann, Secretary.

LEGION OF HONOR BONAPARTE CUNCIL, NO. 15, LEGION OF Honor, meets every second and fourth Satur-days in Burlington building. THEO. H. CULVER, Chancellor. Jno. L. Stockwell, Recorder.

ANCIENT ORDER UNITED WORKMEN. OVENANT Lodge, No. 50, A. O. C., meets second and foruth Friday hits at Wenzel's Hall No. 2, Eighth d Franklin ave. M. DALTON, M. W. C. Kendnil, Recorder.

BOTANICAL CAMP, NO. 229 W. O. meets first and third Mondays every month. tir's Hail, No. 9.2 Manchester avoine. Members are requested to be present. Visitors cordially invited. E. HALLE, C. C. ELE CAMP, NO II. W. O. W. MEETS every Wednesday evening at Wentz's Hall, south-east corner Eighteenth and Lynch streets.

J. C. Hagenlocher, Clerk.

LIVE CAMP. CAMP. LIVE OAK CAMP, NO. 112, W. O. W., MEET'S second and fourth Wednesdays every month. Bowman's Hall northeast cerner Eleventh and Locust streets. WM. MOLLETT, C. C. Ed F. Smith, Clerk.

WOODNEY OF THE WORLD.

MERCANTILE CAMP, No. 14, W. O. W., meets first and third Saturdays of each hour's at Bowman's Hall, north-sax correct Eleventh and Locust streets. Visitors welcome, William Urian. Clerk. MOUNT AUBURN CAMP, NO. 219, WOODSmen of the World, meets at Kleker's Hall, New stend avenue and North Market street every Friday evening at 8 o'clock sharp. Victors welcome. DOCTOR D. F. RICE, C. C. W. Tacke, Cierk.

MONTEFIORE CAMP, No. 222, W. O. W.—
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Month. To-morrow night there will be two inilistions, Visitors are always welcome. Camp
meets at Fraternal building. Elsevach st. and
Franklin ave.

1. Rosenbiatt, Clerk.

SVLVAN CAMP SYLVAN CAMP, NO 242, WOODMEN OF the World, meets second and fourth Thursdays at Mann's Hall, 4800 North Broadway, Visitors release. THEO, C. EVES, C. C.

TERMINAL CAMP, NO. 28, WOODMEN OF the World, meets every Wodnesday evening at 8 o'clock at Blair Fort Hall, 1703 Market sirect. Visitors always welcome. C. G. Cross, Clerk. RATHBONE SISTERS.

AEGIS TEMPLI, NO. 2. RATHBONE Sisters, meets every second and fourth Monlay of each month at Frateriet Hall, Edwenin stream Franklin ovenue, Visiting asserts cordially invited. SISTER M. SOLOMAN, M. E. C. Sister Verona Krans, M. of R. & C.

Adams street. Members expected to arte at an visitors conduity invited to sit around our counce, fito.

R. R. NETHERCOTT, Sacasson.

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STANDING ELK TRIBE, No. 28, IMPROVED Order of Red ham—have every Twesday evening at Fulids' Hall, corner Ninth and Market Streets Visiting, whose are cordinaly invited to be present at our council meetings.

IARRY D. HODGERS, Suchem.

A. Leck, C. of R., 154 South Fourteenth St. HISTCRICAL SOCIETIES. VETERAN VOLUNTEER
FIREMENS HISTORICAL Society meets third sunday of
of every month, 1689 Locust st.
Next meeting November 18, A3 St. Louis volunteer firemen are invited to attend.
Thowas Lynch, Secretary.

ANCIENT ORDER HIBERNIANS, DIVISION No. 1, meets on second Sanony afternoon of each month at St. Parroks school Hall. All members are requested to atten. Vectors in-vited. JOHN O MALLE. President. M. J. Hartigan, Recording secretary. COUNTY BOARD, A. O. H.-REGULAR meeting third Suntary each month at Father matirew hall, 229 Washington ave.
P. R. FITZCHEBONS, President,
C. J. Fredon, Secretary.

FARMERS GO TO LAW OVER SHADE TREES.

'ests in Damage Suit for Five Dol 🕞 lars Aggregate \$200-Land Involved Is Worth \$15.

Carlyie, Iii., Nov. 17.-Ben Schumaches mi Anton Boeing are two farmers, residang in St. Hose Township, northwest of this ity. Their bands join, and until a few

uted on the land owned by Boeing, and nere of Schimocher's farm. The latter sowed wheat on this particular tract of land, it would not grow where the shade of the willow trees existed, and be demanded of his neighbor the sum of & dam-

ages, which was refused.

A suit was instituted in the court of a Justice, residing in Jamestown, where a judgment was entered against the defend-ant for \$1 and costs. Rocing appealed to the and for stand costs. Hosing appealed to the Clinton County Circuit Court and lost again. He then, through his attorney, asked for an appeal to the Appellate Court, which request was granted by Judge S. L. Dwight. The case will prove to be quite expensive before it is finished. The costs and attorney fees on both dries now amount to more than 5th. The markets of the costs of the standard of the costs and attorney fees on both dries now amount to more than 5th. The markets of the costs of the cos is valued at about \$15.

INHERITANCE TAX ATTACKED.

Arguments Against Its Validity Before Supreme Court in Banc.

Martha Washington, R. L.

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Testate.

"It exempts from taxation property given to educational, religious or charitable purposes, contrary to the provisions of the Constitution.

"As the law imposes a tax for State purposes on property is a stax for State." Constitution.

As the law imposes a tax for State Purposes on property, it is void, because the rate imposes is largely in excess of the rate authorized by the Constitution.

Another point of insistence on the part of relator upon which Judge Jones laid special stress, is that the statute is in direct conflict with section 3 of article 4 of the Constitution, upon which he presented an elaborate argument. He further urged the containon that the statute clearly conflicts with the manifest intent of the organic law of this State, even if it does not literally violate its very words, in that it makes a perpetual appropriation of a material part of the State's money to certain designated objects. The statute is challenged also on the ground that it conflicts with article 11 of the Constitution, which deals exclusively with the subject of education.

Judge W. M. Williams, appearing for the respondent Probate Judge. In defense of the law, met all of the arguments advanced by the other side, and concluded by saying:

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"The people of the State, through their representatives in three successive legislatures, have declared in favor of this form of taxation. It has been in force for years in a number of our sister States, and has there met with popular favor. The objectionable features of the acts of 1895 and 1897, to which this court called attention in the Switzler case, have been omitted to the second of the switzler case.

iso, to which this court called attention in the Switzler case, have been omitted. The act of 1829 has been made to conform to that opinion, and no substantial objection can be made to its validity."

The case of Margaret Sharp vs. Missouri Pacific Railway Company, a damage suit from Jackson County, was argued and submitted.

In the case of Butler County vs. Boatmon's Hank, a motion to advance was filed by Jadge E. R. Lentz of Poplar Buff.
On motion of Judge Elljah Robinson of Kansas City, Heywood Scott of Rolla, Mo. was enrolled as a member of the bar of the Supreme Court. eme Court, e case of Yocum vs. Siler, an appeal platte County, was submitted on Flist National Bank of St. Charles vs. Standard Shoe Company; appeal dismissed by appellant. State ex rel. Wheeler

State ex rel. Wheeler vs. Adams, County Treasurer of Butler County; submitted on briefs, HAVANA DELEGATES SEATED.

Cuban Convention Adopts Credentials Committee's Report.

Havana, Nov. 17.—The constitutional convention held a short session to-day. Secretary of State Tamaye addressed the convention, defending himself from the attacks made upon him yesterday by Senores Giberda and Gomez. Senor Tamaye said the election had been conducted legally. Giberon and Gomez. Senor ramayo said the disction had been conducted legally. The convention custained the report of the committee on credentials by a vote of 21 to 5, thus scating air the Havana deleal to 5, thus scatting aif the Havana delegates.

The report of the committee on rules was laid upon the table. It will be discussed Monday.

General Lee has left Morro Castle.

United States Secretary of War Root and party are on the Cauto River. They report good luck at suipe and alligator shooting. Takey probably will start for Santiago to-morrow.

TO REFORM FORT WORTH. County Officials Say It Shall I "Wide Open Town" No Longer.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Fort Worth, Tex., Nov. II.—The newly elected county officials enter upon their duties to day, and County Attorney Latimore aunounced his determination to enforce the huws against gaming and Sunday liquor soling. All the gambling-houses suspend business to-night and to-morrow. All of the snicons will be closed.

Fort Worth has generally been run as a wide-open town, the rule being to fine gamblers once a month and let the Sunday liquor seilers compromise by paying two fines a month, the lowest fine being assessed in each case, but all of the costs put on. The liquor dealers are the only ones prosecuted for violation of the Sunday laws.

DESERTED BRIDE OF TWO DAYS. Illinois Man's Wife Gets Divorce on

Unusual Complaint. Carlyle, Ill., Nov. 17.—Among the divorces granted by Judge Dwight at the present term of court was one to Caroline Mann of Huey, from George Mann. She alleged, in her petition, that her husband deserted her after remaining with her only two days after the nuptial knet was tied.

The recreant husband failed to explain, why he deserted his bride and the decree was granted. The complainant in the case is a member of an influential family residing in Clement Township.

Militin Election Confirmed.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Springfield, Ill., Nov. 17.—The election of J. W. Rose and Henry Kern to be First and Second Lacutemants, respectively, of Company D. Second Infantry, I. N. G., was continued. affrmed to-day by Adjutant General Bank Robbery at Bluffs.

Winchester, Ill., Nov. 17.—Burglars robbed the Bank of Bluffs, at the Village of Bluffs, in this county, last night. The safe was blown open and about \$2,000 in cash was stolen. A suspect was arrested at Jackson-ville to-day.